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Way to Go Guys! After-School Program

January 28, 2016

Dear Parent/Guardian of 7th and 8th grade boys,

We are excited to announce that Shrewsbury Youth and Family Services Inc. is offering a program called Way to Go Guys! to 7th and 8th grade boys on site at Oak Middle School. This is an activity-based group that is designed to build upon and develop self-esteem and to foster social and personal confidence.

The focus of these activities will be on developing and strengthening interpersonal skills and relationships. The activities and curriculum are developed around promoting social confidence, appropriate conflict resolution, and the ability to speak up and express oneself with confidence in group settings.

The group will take place **weekly on Thursday afternoons from 3-4:30 PM.**

The program is scheduled to **start** on February 25 and will run for **six weeks** with an expected **end** date of March 31 (this date is subject to change to accommodate any missed school days due to weather cancellations).

Attached to this letter are a **registration** form and **consent** form that must be filled out and **returned by February 19**. We are able to accept 25 students into the group, so inclusion will be based on first come, first served. We will notify you via email if your son will be on the roster. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this group, please do not hesitate to contact us at SYFS.

Sincerely,

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Student Registration and Permission Form

Student's Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Course Dates: Every Thursday from February 25, 2015 – March 31, 2016; 3:00-4:30

Parent or Guardian's name: _____

Home Street Address: _____

City: _____ Email: _____

Phone: Day: _____ Evening: _____ Cell: _____

Emergency Contact Name/Phone #: _____

Permission to administer First Aid if necessary? ☐ YES or ☐ NO

Please list any Health / Psychological conditions or concerns:

Please list any medications your child is taking: (prescription or non-prescription)

Please list any allergies your child has, the reaction & what to do:

Students MUST be picked up by 4:30! Please list your pick-up plan/after-group plan.

Way to Go Guys! After-School Program Consent Form

*By signing below, I give my son permission to participate in the Way to Go Guys! program. I understand that I am responsible for transportation.

(Parental signature required)

Date

*I hereby give rights to use my child's (in whole or in part), image, name, voice, writings, and likeness for all non-commercial written, audio, and/or visual presentations. I understand and acknowledge that the written, audio and/or video presentations may be used only in brochures and videos and on websites for the purposes of advancing SYFS. Shrewsbury Youth & Family Services, Inc. (SYFS) is a registered nonprofit, social services organization.

(Parental signature required)

Date

***Parents please sign the highlighted areas on the form, Thank you.**

Return to Oak Main Office or to:
SYFS (Attn: Way to Go Guys!)
240 Maple Ave
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(the mailbox at SYFS is secure if drop off is desired after hours)